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**AMENDMENT and RESPONSE**

SIR:

Responsive to the Final Office Action dated July 11, 2005 and received in the above-identified patent application, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendment and remarks. Applicant has concurrently filed a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) for the application.

Please amend the application according to the following "Amendments to the Claims" section. Specifically, please amend claims 1, 3 and 5. For the convenience of the Office, all of the pending claims are reproduced, with parenthetical indications of the currently applicable status corresponding to each claim.